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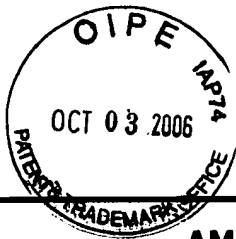
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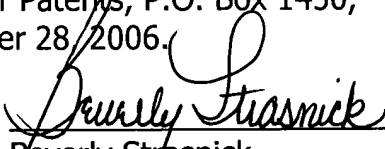
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In response to the office communication dated June 28, 2006 please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendments to the claims.